Mountain Weather Forecast

South Grampian and Southeast Highlands

Including South and East Cairngorms National Park, Aberdeenshire and Angus Hills, Ben Vrackie, Ben Lawers, Loch Tay and Ochils
Forecast valid from 00:00 on Thursday 17 Sep 2020 until 23:59 on Friday 18 Sep 2020

Forecast Issued on Wednesday 16 Sep 2020 at 10:39 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for mostly dry, settled weather over the next 5 days.

Headline for Thursday 17 Sep 2020: Dry and bright with sunny spells and light winds.

Mountain weather hazards on Thursday 17 Sep 2020

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy Snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** No Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Partly cloudy (night)	Clear night	Clear night	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Clear night
Precipitation probability							
<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%

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Weather: A chilly start in the glens with any fog patches soon dispersing. Then a fine, dry day across the South Grampian and Southeast Highland area with sunny spells.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 95% with the clouds mostly above the tops.

Visibility: Air will have great clarity resulting in excellent visibility.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	12/14 S	13/16 S	13/16 SW	9/13 SW	7/10 W	8/11 S	7/9 S	8/10 SW	8/11 SW
900	11/13 S	12/15 S	12/15 SW	9/13 SW	6/9 W	7/10 S	7/9 S	6/8 SW	7/10 SW
600	5/7 SE	4/6 SE	4/8 S	2/6 SE	4/7 E	5/8 S	4/7 SW	3/5 SW	3/6 SW
300	2/10 SW	4/11 SW	9/19 SW	9/15 SW	6/10 SW	6/10 SW	5/10 SW	5/11 SW	5/11 W
Glen	4/10 SW	4/10 W	5/12 SW	7/12 SW	4/8 SW	6/10 SW	4/11 SW	5/10 W	4/9 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	6/2	6/2	7/4	9/7	10/8	10/8	10/8	10/8	9/7
900	7/4	7/4	8/5	10/8	12/10	12/11	11/10	10/9	10/8
600	6/4	5/4	7/5	10/9	14/13	15/14	13/12	11/10	10/9
300	7/6	7/6	8/5	12/10	16/15	18/17	14/13	11/10	11/10
Glen	7/6	8/7	7/6	12/10	16/16	18/17	14/14	12/11	10/10
Freezing Level*	2100m	2600m	2800m	2800m	2800m	2800m	2800m	2800m	2700m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
A fine, dry day to be in the hills with light winds at all levels.

Forecast for Friday 18 Sep 2020
Weather: Another dry, bright day with sunny spells and early mist patches at lower levels soon clearing. Cloudier conditions will edge in from the northwest to Aberdeenshire hills towards dusk.

Maximum wind: Light winds at all levels, mainly southwesterly with average speeds of only about 10mph.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 90% with clouds remaining mostly above the summits.

Visibility: Very good.

Temperature: **Glens:** 4 Celsius rising to 17 Celsius.
At 800m: Plus 9 Celsius
Freezing level: Above the tops.

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